

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re U.S. Patent Application of)
NARAHARA et al.)
Application Number: 09/942,563) **Art Unit 1634**
Filed: August 31, 2001) **Examiner**
For: NUCLEIC ACID ARRAYS AND METHOD) **Goldberg, Jeanine Anne**
FOR DETECTING NUCLEIC ACID BY)
USING ARRAYS OF NUCLEIC ACID ARRAYS)
Attorney Docket No. HIRA.0019)

**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants request that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for **one (1) month**. The fee set in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 for the extension of time is **\$110.00**.

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